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MUNICIPAL REFORMERS

Program of National League at Louisville.

PROBLEMS OF GOVERNMENT

Mr. Cossatt of Cincinnati Will Explain the Condition of Ohio Cities.

ers Woodruff, secretary of the National Municipal league, has prepared the program for the conference to be held in Louisville on May 5, 6 and 7. The some of the more important phases of its administration in this country,

Major Edwin D. McGuinness of Providence will speak for his city; ex-Mayor John F. Ficken for Charleston, S. C.; J. Richard Freud for San Francisco; Rev. Henry Hopkins, D. D., for Kansas City; Professor George L. Fox lecently, inspecting offices in the Spitfor New Haven, and A. C. Cassatt of Cincinnati on the municipal conditions suite of them; this would indicate that of Ohio cities.

Charles J. Bonaparte of Baltimore will speak on "The Results of a Victory for Reform;" Charles Janvir, president of the Citizens' league of Now Orleans, is expected to speak on what has been accomplished in that city under the reform regime; Joseph T. Alang, on municipal reforms in Rochester, and Corporation Counsel Francis M. Scott on the features of

Professor Edmund James will disouss home rule in American cities, and Professor J. Goodnow of Columbia college the powers of a municipal corpo-

Frank M. Loomis of Buffalo had prepared a paper on the exclusion of partisan politics from municipal affairs, describing particularly the Democratic European method of accomplishing this end.

Married a Baron.

San Francisco, April 12.-Mrs. Jeannine Shurtloff Young, a young woman who has attained considerable local notoricty, was unexpectedly married to the Baron Robert Ludwig von Turkheim, who claims to be a member of the Royal Guards of Germany and the owner of a vast estate near Mannheim. Immediately following the light repast, the so-called baron and his wife left for New York en route to Mann-

Wholesale Dismissals. Manhattan, Kan., April 12.-The dis-

missai of crolessor George T. Fairchild for 18 years president of the Kansas state agricultural college, seems to have been only the beginning of a clean sweep proposed by the board of dated Saturday, says: regents. The dismissal of Professor Fairchild was followed by the discharge of 14 other members of the faculty and numerous employes of the in-

The Democratic League.

New York, April 12.-The Progressive Democratic league of New York city held its second meeting and perfected its organization. Nearly all of the men who signed the call to a conference of Bryan and Sewell and free silver clubs for last Sunday were prescut. E. M. Saunders, the temporary chairman, was chosen president of the league. A committee was apointed to go before the present legislature and ask to have the Populist ticket put on the ballots this year. John J. Joyce mado a speech in which he said that the purpose of the league's organization was to keep Tammany in line for the Chicago platform.

Distributing Supplies.

Memphis, April 12.-Colonel Sanger of the army officers sent here by Secretary of War Alger to investigate the extent of suffering caused by the great flood, has chartered the steamer J. N. Harbin and left Memphis on a trip to St. Francis river to investigate the conditions in that section. The boat was furnished with government supplies which will be distributed wherever they are needed.

Young Women Fill Pulpits. Detroit, April 12,--Twenty-four of the leading workers in the Young Women's Christian association made addresses at the services held in varions churches. An interesting special

meeting for women was conducted by

Mrs. F. T. Pierson of Pittsburg. The

convention closed at night.

Afflicted With Berl Berl. New York, April 12 .- The Dutch four-masted ship Jeannette Francols arrived from Delagoa bay, Africa, after a passage of 51 days. When the ship reached quarantine the health officer found Captain Blecker suffering from

Kansas Dogs Win.

Davenport, ia., April 12,---The races of the third day of the Tri-City Coursing club's tournament resulted in the honors of the 32 dog race being won by Quickstitch and Melitta, owned by H. C. Lowe of Lawrence, Kan,

BIG OIL DEAL.

(Continued From Eighth Page)

STILL HARFING A FARE.

Some enterprising space jammer on the Toledo Blade staff still invists upon trying to make the people believe that the Cudahys and Manhattan Oil Co. have combined and that Toledo is soon to be the only center of cil interests on the map. Saturday's issue of that paper contained the following with reference to the rumor:

"It is believed that the Cudabys Philadelphia, April 12.-Clinton Rog- tan and its weaker branches, regardstrongest of the minor organizations. issue with the Standard and a wealthy purpose of the conference will be to Russian syndicate, or that some addione gigantic concern to control absothe problem of city government and lutely the oil output of the entire world. It is already known that the Manhattan people have moved their Findlay offices to Toledo, and several of the well-known Stand ard oil agents and district managers have been in To'eds zer building with a view to renting a some radical move is on foot, and that both the Manhattan and Standard interests are at state. Both of them appear to be centralizing in various points over the country. It is very natural that Toledo should be

selected as the distributing and refining point for the Ohio oil fields. The Bar Association will meet There are property holdings of the Monday evening, April 12th, at 7:30 Standard in the vicinity of Ironville in the Law Library Association that have been held for some time rooms. Two papers will be presented. the charter of Greater New York, showing wherein it is an improvement over existing laws.

and recently augmented by additional Subject, "Is the Torren's Land Act purchases. What all this means an improvement over the present must for the present be largely consistent of Ohio." jectured, but the drift of certain important branches of the business is evidently Toledoward."

Mr. G. M. Sprague, of the Manhattan, was seen by a Times-Demo-CRAT representative this morning and he again states that the Blade's story is absolutely without foundation, and laughs at the idea of the smaller fish swallowing the larger one. Mr. Sprague says that the Manhattan handles some of the Cudahys' oll because it is produced in the Minster territory, where the Manhattan has a pipe line; but that is insignificant, the company will accept oil from anyone if the production is convenient to any of their pipe lines. As has been previously stated, the Manhattan's Findlay offices were removed to Toledo, because the latter point is more convenient to the field superintendent's duties at and about Bradner, O. The Buckeye offices that were removed to Toledo from

the Spitzer building at the former place and that is the actual extent of the Blade's highly inflated bubble

BIG STRIKE NEAR MONTPELTER. A dispatch from Montpelier, Ind.,

Findlay last fall are to be located in

"The Diamond Oil Company, of Indianapolis, brought in a monster well on the Godfrey reserve yesterday. It started at 500 barrels a day and eclipses all the other rich finds of the company. For thirty minutes after the nitro glycerine exploded a column of oil stood sixty feet in the air. The now was shut in after much difficulty. Producers are excited over the new companies are preparing to test the

already begun.

mated, will be one of the largest deals since the transfer of the great Ohio Oil Company into the hands of the Standard Oil Company. The deal is between eastern capitalists, who are figuring on the purchase of several properties near Woodville, Sandusky county, consisting of the W. H. Bemis holding of 12s producing wells and several thousand acres have already absorbed the Manhat of leases: the Sparks & Hartman Bros. leases in Troy township, coning that concern as one of the sisting of 16 wells and a daily output of 100 barrels: Reece & Brinkerhoff's Now it seems that it may either pool eight wells with 30 barrels production, and the Bankey, Joseph & Moors 10 wells with 180 barrels proshow the actual municipal conditions tional capital may come into the new duction. The Bemis property has a of a number of American cities, what combination and the Standard and daily output of 600 barrels. Mr. has been accomplished, and to discuss Cudahy Bros. both be absorbed into Bemis has been very successful. It will be remembered that on April 19, 1895, he sold his credit balances when the market was at its highest, \$1.37 per parrel, realizing \$25,000 from the

OIL MARKET.

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Bar Meeting.

Every member is earnestly re-

D. J. CARLE, President.

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NEGOTIATING A BIG DEAL.

A gigantic oil deal is being negotiated in the Ohio field, and if consumsale. Mr. Bemis will realize close to \$200,000 for his holdings.

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J. W. Mowen, Rec. Sec'y.

Fifty Years Ago.

President Polk in the White House chair. While in Lowell was Doctor Ayer; Both were busy for human west One to govern and one to heal. and, as a president's power of will Sometimes depends on a liver-pill. Mr. Polk took Ayer's Pills I trow For his liver, 50 years ago.

Ayer's Cathartic Pills

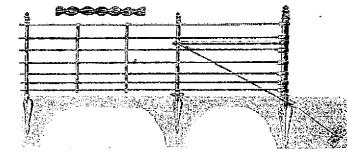
were designed to supply a model purgative to people who had so long injured themselves with griping medicines. Being carefully prepared and their ingredients adjusted to the exact necessities of the bowels and liver, their popularity was instantaneous. That this popularity has been maintained is well marked in the medal awarded these pills at the World's Fair 1893.

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Damage to Farm La 's In the Flooded Dir ...

MILLIONS ARE DESIROLED.

The lutal Area Inder Water Is About Stateen Thousand Square Miles, Containing Over Three Hondred Marcanil Inhabitan's

Washington, April 12 -A statement relative to the agricultural interests if the submerted dutriets of the Mississipp, talley routh of Cairo, Ills, has een issued by the department of agriculture.

It is based upon a chart prepared under the direction of the chief of the weather bareau, showing the extent of the flood on April 6. To this chart the department has applied the crop statistics of 1856 as representing more closely than any other available data the acteage and value of the crops of 1857 now in jeopardy.

The stansties of population, of the number and acreage of farms and of the value of farms and farm implements are those of the censús, and the statistics of livestock are the department's own figures for Jan. 1, 1897.

The total area under water on April 6 was about 15,800 square miles, of which 7,900 square miles were in Mis-#(5xippi, 4,500 in Arkunsas, 1,750 in Missouri, 1.200 in Tennessee and 450 in Louisiana.

This region contained in 1890 a population of 379,685, of which 186,489, or zoont one half, was in Mississippi. Taking the entire region the colored population outnumbered the whites in the proportion of 12 to 7.

The flooded districts contain, it is estunated, about 39,300 farms, of which about 18,560 are in Mississippi, nearly 10,000 in Arkansas, and a like number about equally divided between Misspari and Tennessee. These farms contain a total area of about 3.800.000

The total number of neres improved at the taking of the last census was about 2,000,000, and about 1,500,000 were last year devoted to cotton and corn, to which crops nearly 95 per eent of the entire a-reage cultivated

The livestock on hand Jan. 1 of the present year was valued at \$7.500,000. It is estimated that of the crops of last year over \$3,750,600 worth remained on hand in the submerged region on the last of the month, cotton representing about two-thirds of this amount and corn practically all the remainder.

The largest interests at stake so far are those of the state of Mississippi where flooded districts represent an invested capital in agriculture alone of close upon \$42,000,000.

The entire region under water on April 6 produced last year about 370,-000 bales of cotton, valued at \$13,000. 000; over 11,000,000 bushels of corn. worth about \$3,400,000, and wheat. oats, poratoes and may worth over \$800,000. The most valuable portion of these crops were raised in Missisregion now submerged produced nearly 256,000 baies of estton, besides other products, mostly for local consumption.

RATHER DEFOGGEO.

Proceedings In the Senate During the Week Are Uncertain.

Washington, April 12.-The outlook for the week in the senate is so much belogged by the situation with reference to committee reorganization blut it is impossible to forecast the proreedings with any degree of accuracy. There is a possibility that this quescion may consume a great deal of atcention, and if it is not satisfactorily disposed of it may be used to prevent effort to secure action on important measures.

Aside from the matter of re-organization there are four important questions before the senate. These are: The Morgan Cuban resolution, the bankruptcy bill, the Anglo-American arbitration treaty and the appropriations bills.

Senator Davis, chairman of the committee on foreign relations, said that he was hopeful of securing considera tion for the treaty some time during the week, the only circumstance likely to prevent being the continued absence of senators. Senator Davis relasse to make any predictions as to the result of the final vote or when that cote will be reached.

May Take I o Armor Plate.

Was theren, April 12. - The house will concurre its program of three-day adjournments this work. Jerry Simpson of Kansas will embarrass the norpirity as to ich as possible by requiring will have little aid from the Deinocra's if the spirit of the resolution adopted by the Pemortat's canons prevails. As the pole s of the house legalers at present is in a confidence, his epportunnies at harass the Republicmas will be slight. It may be that owing to the urgancy of the case the leaders may deem it riterable when the horse meets on Wodae day to take up the irmor plate querily in some

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kle & Company will begin active work or the Enervale and searbigh mines, hour which were drowed our nearly to years ago, and trace are which the famous Jedd : tunnel was driven. It is the largest stripping in the country. The or in Sphilmallam.

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ger Come Together.

Charlo te, N. C. April 12 Northboard Florida special on the Southern rathway No. 36 and local southbound passenger train No. 11 collided at 11-15 m in at Harrisburg, 12 miles north of this city killing three persons and Woulding S.A.

The Dead. T. Cliniman Benton of Charlotte 35,

postal clerk on No. 11. Thus Endy of Forest Hill, Concord. Will Donaldson, fireman on No. 36. J. C. Kinney of Thomasville , engineer on No. 11, is fatally scalded. The northbound special was late in leaving Charlotte, but was given the right of way, its orders being to pass the local train at Harrisburg, where there is a siding.

No. 11 had slowed up preparatory to taking this siding and was but 100 yards from the north end of the switch when the express, running at 45 miles an hour, dashed into it. The two engines came together with a terrific crash which resembled a sharp crack of thunder.

Just previous to the collision Enginger Tunstail applied the airbrakes and jumped. Many of the passengers on No. 36 were thrown from the seats, but none of them were hurt. The two express cars on the northbound train were shattered into thousands of pieces and son after the accident the postal of the local caught fire, but by the use of chemicals the fiames were extinguished.

Postal Clerk Benton suffered a horrible death. His legs were pinioned so close to the boiler of one of the engines that he was being burned by the heat and steam. He begged piteously to his rescuers to cut off his legs and extricate him. Although every effort was made to release the suffering man, it was an hour and a half before he was taken out. He lived but 15 minntes longer.

Fireman Donaldson and John Eudy were found in the center of the wreck. Kinney was taken from the wreck alive, but is so badly scalded that he is not expected to live. The wounded are being cared for in this city.

ON THE QUIVER. Excitement at Frankfort as a Result of

Bribery Charges. Frankfort, Ky., April 12.—There has been a day of excitement in legis lative circles on account of the charges of bribery made in the senatorial con-

Henter's managers say that the next few days will lay bare a plot to ruin him and that high and low politicians will go up a the explosion. The story of Gaines is amost unanimously discredited here. It is believed by some that Gaines had several meetings with Wilson and Frankes, but sentiment is divided as to their motives. Gaines' friends admit he has exploited bimselt unenviably.

Mr. Hunter said: "I am not ready yet to say what my plans are in regard to the outrageous and infamous assault on me. The matter, however, is full of unpleasant sensations yet to come for some people.

"As to Gaines, I say as I have to meet an immaculate God, I never saw him in my life and was never in his

Toorhees Obsequies.

Washington, April 12 .- The remains of ex-Senator Voorbees will be escorted from this city to his native state of Indiana. Before being taken to the Terre Haute home the body will lie in state in the Capitol building at Indianapolis, at the suggestion of Governor Mount. Funeral services will be held here about noon in St. John's Episcopal church, after which the remains will be removed to the Pennsylvania railroad station and accompanied by the family and Senator Wilson will leave on the Chesapeake and Ohio express at 2:30 o'clock. The honorary pallbearers selected are: Senators Morrill, Turpie, J. K. Jones. Wilson and Cullom, ex-Senator Butler, Judge Lawrence Weldon, Hon Richard J.

Highest Ever Recorded.

New Orieans, April 12.-The river gauge fluctuates believen 18 and 18.2 feet. This brings the record up to onetenth of a foot higher than given by any official data compiled. The river is certainly bounting, and in spots the water washes over the "aprons" of the levees, making extensive deposits of mud. The authorities, however, deny any additional apprehensions, and are resourceful in combating any barriers of sacks filled with earth and such of

their devices as appear most expedient Fortune Left Him.

Troy N. Y., April 12,-A. J. Dwyer M New Orelans is in the city searching for John C. King of Duquesne, Pa., who has disappeared and is supposed to have come to Troy. A brother of a quirom to approve the journal, but King died recently and left a fortune of about \$100,000, to which the misising man is sole neir.

She Wants Damages.

Chagein Falls, O., April 12 .-- Wrs. Mand Millard has such Coeighton Millard for disorce. She alleges that her bashand's parents are rich and object ed to her because she was plan. She spaniah 906,032 rolaska

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African Villages Burned and Natives Killed.

OBJECT OF THE EXPEDITION

It Is Intended to Cross ther to the Headwaters of the Nile and Attack the Dervishes or Arabs.

Brazzaville, Africa, April 12 .- People have been waiting many days for unthentic news about Merchand's expedition. The leaders were at Brazzaville, but the road between Manyanga and Brazzaville, a distance of about 73 miles, was closed on account of petty wars among the natives, and Merchand's men could not get their 2,000 ionds of supplies up to Brazzaville to proceed on their journey up the Mobangi river toward the equator. As a last resort Merchand burned every village on the Manyanga road, killing a few hundred natives and taking all their livestock for food.

Upon arriving at Brazzaville we found Merchand making preparations to go to the relief of the men at the Quello river crossing. This was the pretext of declaring war against the natives. The details of the battles were received from one of his soldiers who recurned here.

The first real skirmish was with a chief named Mobvalia, who, or some of his tribe, killed a French soldier about a year ago. Merchand's men ha flintlocks siOv.s?e f-,vihe emoioi marched on the village. Mobyalla showed resistance, but his flint locks were not equal to modern rifles.

Mobvalla was wounded and his head was cut off and brought to Brazzaville. The natives say over 100 men were killed in the village, but Merchant's soldiers assert that the number was not more than 25 or 50.

After the batle the village was burned. Comming their march, the ing over it. When the gate is up, the villages along the Manyanga road opening or slit is protected, as public were surrounded at night, and, as daylight appeared, the natives were awak- the trench is of gravel or concrete, and ened by the blast of a trumpet and, as they came out of their huts were shot water which does not soak up to run off down on all sides. Village after village was destroyed in this manner, no quarter being given.

The natives used clay balls in their old muskets, having burned them dry to about the consistency of brick. Merchand's men were struck by these clay balls, but were not wounded seriously.

The expedition consists of 14 white officers and 163 black soldiers from the western Soudan, called Senegalez, but are by right Soudaneze.

Merchand and some of the white officers came direct to Brazzaville, but the main body did not succeed in getting here until Jan. 12. Preparations are now making to con-

tinue the march up the Mobangi river. The object of the Merchand expedition is to march to the headwaters of the Mobangi, cross over to the headwaters of the Nile and attack the dervishes or Arabs while Captain Dhanis will attack them from aniother point. The expedition, while endavoring to conquer the Arabs, will also look after the French and Belgian interests in this section and checkmate the English

in attempts to occupy the territory. If the plan is successful it will connect the French Congo with Lake

MORE DEVELOPMENTS.

Legislativo Bribery In Kansas Way Strike Pay Dirt.

Topeka, April 12.-Members of the legislative bribery investigating committee say if the revelations of the past week have been sensationla, the developments next week will be shocking. It is said that big stories will come out in the testimony relative to alleged bribery in railroad, stockyards and oleomargarine legislation.

William Butier will be put on the stand to tell the story of a proposition made to him that he could have \$1.500 spot cash if he would produce 10 mem bers of the house of representatives nor already pledged to vote for the Wichita normal school bill.

Unsaved Millions.

Washington, April 12 .- The Wash ington anual meeting of the American Tract society was held in the West Street Presbyterian church, Senator Burrows presiding, Rev. Judson Swif., field secretary, of New York, presented a brief report of the society's work. An earnest, eloquent sermon was preached by Dr. Alexander pastor of the church. The report called attention to the fact that 30,000,000 of the population are outside the church, and that there was no more important work to be done in this country than that of carrying the gospel truth to these millions.

To save the Bridge.

Omaha, April 12. -The North cestern road is new engaged in a confact with the current of the Missoure Where the Fremont. Elkhorn and Mesmri Valley branch of the system coles is the river at Blair, the bridge is on a hig bead in the course of the stream, and an effort is being made to save the

American Liberated.

Hayana, April 12. Jose Gonzalez Curaelo, a naturalized American, who has ben imprisanted at Guanajay on a charge of emspiracy thas been lib-

Returning to England.

Lama, Pern, April 12. Captain Hen-Pero, left I ima for England by way of the straits of Magellan.

MERCHAND CAMPAIGN. Keep

Easy to say, but how shall i do it?
In the only com-

mon sense way-keep your head cool, your feet warm and your blood rich and pure by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla. Then all your nerves,

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and organs will be Spring properly nourished.
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DISAPPEARING GATES.

Grade Crossing Protection Without Any

Unsightly Features. A disappearing gate for railroad cross ings has been recently patented by Fredcrick Nichols of Lynn, Mass. The man; advantages of such a gate will be readily understood. Its construction is very simple, there being no eogs or gears. It is made of sliding and jointing bars and angle irons and can be constructed with-

ont great expense. A trench about four feet deep is dug on each side of the tracks across the street. The earth sides of this trench are supported by plates of boiler iron, instead of expensive masonry, bolted to U shaped iron castings. To these castings is fastened the lower and stationary part of the gate. The slit or opening through which the gate comes up is, or course, protected from dirt, etc., by the top rail of the gate when it is down and when public travel is passtravel over it is stopped. The bottom of it is graded toward one end to allow into a sewer or blind drain.

At the side of this opening, on the street level, are east iron plates covering manholes, which allow a man to go the entire length of trench to oil or adjust any of the movable working parts.

The gate is counterbalanced with weights, and friction is reduced to a minimum, thus making its operations easy. A bell signal is sounded before the gates are raised. At night incandescent lamps are lighted by contact being automatically made as the gates are raised. Lanterns are used where electricity is not available.

The gates are quick and easy in ac tion, can be operated by one man, where it often requires two by present methods. They can be operated from switch or signal tower in many instances. They will not interfere with trolley wires or electric car tracks. The gates are raised and lowered by the simple movement of a lever on which is a latch, securing the gate in any position.—Philadelphia Record

The Revised Version.

"What is your new painting called?" "The Gleaner."

"Ah, a young girl with a sickle and a bundle of grain?

"No; an elderly girl with a flar pocketbook and an armful of bargain dry goods. "—Chicago Record.

Lock the Door

Before the horse is stolen. Purify, enrich and vitalize your blood and build up your physical system before disease attacks you and serious sickness comes. Hood's Sarsaparilla will make you strong and vigorous and will expel from your blood all impurities and germs of disease. Take Hood's Sarsaparilla now.

Hood's Pills are the favorite family cathartic. Easy to take, gentle, mild. 25 cents.

Foreseen.

Mrs. McSwat-Billiger, when I asked you to get a book for a birthday present for brother John I supposed you would select one that had at least a substantial binding. This one will fall to pieces before he has had it six months."

Mr. McSwat--No, it won't, Lobelia. It will last that brother of yours 100 years in any kind of binding. It's a book on manners."—Chicago Tribune.

Mother Almost Worn Out. Hand' Colic Cure Gave Instant Relief.

BELL BROOK, O., March 25, '96. Dr. Hand-"I received your sample bottle of Colic Cure and was never so glad in my life. My baby had the wind colic ever since she was born and I was almost worn out. I gave her a dose without my husband's knowledge and it gave her instant relief, and she has not been the least trouble since I gave her the first dose. I would not be without it for anything. I will recommend your Colic Cure to every mother. Mrs. J O. Wade." Sold by all druggists, 25c

A Word to Physicians.

Do you know that many broad minded physicians are using Foley's Honey and Tar Cough Syrup in their practice? They have found no remedy that gave as satisfactory results 20 years for all throat and lung complaints as ry Michael Jones British minister to this great cough medicine. H. F. North streets.

CLEAN FARIS KITCHENS.

No Ashes or Carbage There, Says Lectures Clarence Cooks

What becomes of the n-hes and garbage in Paris was a question raised and partially answered by Clarence Cook in an address delivered at the regular mecting of the League For Political Education on "Little Housekeeping In Paris."

The Paris which Mr. Cook talked about was that of some 25 years ago, when the differences in domestic life in that city and this were much greater than at present. Since then New York has adopted the flat system in all its details, but there were still differences, chief among which was the handling of garbage and ashes. In the apartments which Mr. Cook occupied in Paris, and which he described as being delightfulle situated, though "en the wrong side of the Seine," according to the ideas of a fashionable friend of his in the American colony, there were no ashes that he could see. The stove consisted of an iron top, with six circular holes in it. Whenever anything was to be cooked an iron basket of charcoal was put into one of these holes, and the food placed over it. When the chargoal was burned, what was left fell through the basket and disappeared.

In the way of food everything came to the squartment fully prepared for cooking. In a mutton chop there was nothing but meat and bone, and when the meat had been eaten the bone was deposited on the charcoal fire. Potatoes were bought already peeled, carrots without their green tops and all green vegetables without any of the superfluous outer leaves or husks or skins which would go to make up garbage. All of this cleaning and pecling was done at the markets, and the resulting material was saved in a clean condition. Even coffee grounds, Mr. Cook said, were

used after leaving the flat. No one in Paris ever bought enough of anything to be left over, and no one was ashamed to ask the dealer for a single mutton chop or a small portion of any article of food. If there were any garbage or ashes in Paris, Mr. Cook said, no one ever saw either of them, which was certainly different from the experience of a New York woman he told of, who after a year's residence in the city wrote ion friend that life in the metropolis meant the taking care of an

dies in small vials and is very costly. Even on the spot where it is manufactured it is extremely dear, because is requires 100,000 well grown roses to yield but 180 grains of attar.

Its high price causes it to be often adulterated with some essential or fixed oil or with spermacett. However, the adulteration may be detected by testing it in a watch glass with a drop of sulphuric acid. If the attar be pure it will remain colorless, for pure attar of roses is colorless, but if it be adulterated it will become darkened.

In resetteds, where the reses are grown for the purpose of making the attar, the bushes are planted in rows. In the early merning they are laden with heautiful reses, but ere neon comethey are all gathered and their petals distilled in clay stills, with twice their weight of water.

The water that "comes over" is put into perfectly clean vessels and is then carefully covered with damp mushin cloths to keep out dust and insects. It is afterward exposed to the hight air or to artificial cold. By morning a film or oil has collected on the top of the water. just as cream rises on milk. This film is swept off with a teather and very carefully transferred to a small vial Night after night this process is a peated until all of the precious oil is separated from the water.-Philadelphia Times.

The Largest Poultry Farm.

Farm Poultry says that Isaac Wilbur of Little Compton, R. I., has the largest poultry farm in the world. He ships from 130,000 to 150,000 dozen of eggs a year. He keeps his fowls on the colony plan, housing about 40 in a house b by 10 or 8 by 12 feet in size, these houses being about 150 feet apart, set out in long rows over the gently sloping fields. He has 100 of these houses, senttered over three or four fields. The foed is loaded into a low wagon, which is driven about to each house in turn, the attendant feeding as he goes. At the afternoon feeding the eggs are collected The fowls are fed twice a day. The morning food is a mash of cooked vegitables and mixed meals. This mush is made up the afternoon of the day is fore. The afternoon feed is whole corn the

New York Chess Women.

year round.

The Women's Chesselule of New York we lack is the money for liege; is regarded with much interest, as it agive his farewell bachelor supper the first incorporated chess club started for women in this country. The inverpointors are Miss Eliza Campbell Foot, Miss Jean L. Nesbit, Miss Emily Somers Haines, Mrs. Winthrop Parker and Miss Sophie Downer. The chess season begins the first Tuesday in November and ends the last Tuesday in April, 26 meetings being held during the season. Altogether the idea of a wemma's checlub has proved most successful. The membership is not large, as compara tively few women play the game, but the club is growing -Xew York Sun.

In the library of Lambeth palace there brought there in 1623 and which lived 46 W. Charles St." All drup 1625 until 1730. Another, in Fulham palace, procured by Bishop Land in 1828, died in 1753, and one at Peterborough lived

In magnification to its size Britain has Vortkamp, northeast cor. Main and eight times as many nules of railway at ds. United States.

Health Hints.

Truth Tritely Told Without Varnish or Word Painting.

"Stomach deranged, system de-

ranged." Physicians affirm it, facts prove it. The sufferer from stomach. ic trouble proves the foregoing state. ment. The stomach is the mill that body. The slightest aliment inter. feres with its weekings and all be comes wrong. It's the immediate ailments that one must guard agains; The most common forms of stomaci. troubles are wind on the stomach, it. digestion, colic, sour stomach, et .. Lightning Hot Drops is a remed that immediately and absolutely a: fords relief, and in every case effect. a permanent and lasting cure Where Lightning E. Drops is founstomach troubles cease to exist. it has cared thousands of obstinate and unyielding cases, and it will cure of: ers. It has never, in any instance failed. Lightning Hot Drops standto day without a peer, a pricelesremedy for sufferers from all stomans. troubles. It is put up and sold in 2 and 50 cent sizes.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

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Joseph H. Coye and Alfred J. E. Knight, as Minett & Co., Plaintiff. Common Ys.
Joseph Askins et al., Defendants.
By virtue of an order of saic, issued from the Court of Common Please, of Allen county Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for saic at the east door of the court house in Lina Allen county, Ohio, on Tx. Doc. 9

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Notice.

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metropolis meant the taking care of an ash larred.—New York Times.

ATTAR OF ROSES.

How This Delicions and Expensive Perform is Made.

The word "attar" is from the Arabert and means performe. So attar of roses is simply perfune of roses. It is brought from Turkey and the East Indies in small vials and is very costly.

The stockholders of The Lima Norther attempting of said stockholders has been as a subject to be described as the company's office in Lima, Oble, a transfer of this company, of every kind are description, to The terroit and Lima Northern Railway Company. Upon application of my stockholder, a copy of the resolution to will be furnished to him, and the detain of the proposition will be fully explained at the meeting and in advance to any stockholder. upon application.

By order of the Board of Directors mon-3 25 4 W. C. Brown, Secretary

Of Course.

"Do you plead guilty?" asked the judge, as the trembling wheelman was brought to the bar by the re ect

less cycle cop.
"No, sir." answered the vict :. "I was not riding faster than 10 mi can hour Your honor," exclaimed the ."

cer, "he was going 20 miles an hour "That is impossible," replied the prisoner. "I was merely keeping ;; with a trolley car, and your house knows that if it had been going fast er than nine miles an hour these et. cient policemen would at once bare acrested the motorman." - 1: Express

A True Maxim.

Nothing succeeds like success, s maxim well applied to Dr. 18, 5-Cough Syrup, for this famous ren . succeeds in curing every case of c cough and cold which it under toand to this alone is due its wondpopularity. Mrs. E. W. Ral. 2214 E. Camberland St., Philadelp Pa., states: "I have had In. Bu Cough Syrup on my bureau for the list nine years, and have found it a certical and safe cure for croup. I have found it efficacions in extreme menbraneous croup, and would advise all mothers to use it." Dr. Bull's Com! Symp costs only 25 cents, and you should bear in mind, that subsect samply benefit the dealer's purse . " sist on garder Dr. Bull's Cough Sc

Necessary Expenses.

"As soon as Reggy can save of thousand dollars," said the fair all. in the fur circular. "we are to be married."

"I thought your father has (e)

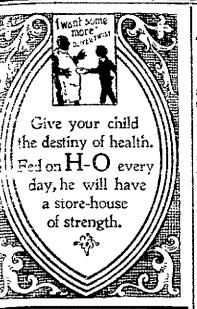
nished a house for you," remarks. her dearest friend in the navy blue "So he has, and everything is to ready for us to go to housekeeping, and perfectly lovely The only this?

Nor York Journal. Baby Screamed One Hour. One Bas Brought Smiles.

Massillon, O., Nov. 6, '95,--1' od Medicine Co.—"I cheerfully bear will ness as to the virtues of Dr. Hand Colic Cure. Our baby, now near. four months old, suffered much fred colle. After having screamed with pain for over an hour we came upon Dr. Hand's Colic Cure and gave ner a dose of it. In five minutes after taking she is all smiles, and at night we all sleep. Mrs. F. L. Traphagen

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Who plants by the acre,
Poor victims of cough and cold,
Is sighting and crying,
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FOR SLANDER

A Quincy Editor Will Labor in the Dayton Workhouse.

it W. Rupart, editor of the Quincy Hered, was fined \$25 and costs and entenced to sixty days in the Dayton work house, at Bellefontaine Wedneslay, for slandering M E Sullivan. editor of the Quincy Gazette, who formerly had a newspaper at Jackson Center. Rupart also assaulted Sullivan, who is small and a cripple, and knecked him down, but cognizance was only taken of his attacks in the

The example of W W. Brewer, justice of the peace and a prominent east of here. citizen of Mt. Jewett, Pa., is worthy of emulation. He says: "I never leavehome without a bottle of Chamberlan's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhora Remedy and always recommend it to my friends. It is the best I ever again in a second of the position of traveling division.

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GETS THREE YEARS.

The Horse Thief Captured Here Two Months Ago

Pater Sudivan, who two months ago was arrested here for having stolen a horse and buggy from the Legan county infirmary, trading them to A. Staley, of Port Jefferson, years in the pententiary. This is advocate as Mr. A. R. Webb, of No. line, accompanied sometimes with Three years upon her thouse stealing 414 east Wayne street. If you should sour or watery restore the state of t Champaign county, for which offense he was sent to the pentientlary. His poor health accounts for his present light -entence.

IN MYSTIC CIRCLE.

Evening.

Work will be done to-morrow even-

The Commandery will attend divine services at Epworth M. E. Church in a body next Sunday.

Colonel Boone will inspect the Findlay Commandery next Wednesday evening. A delegation from this city will also attend.

Work will be done in the Master's degree next Monday evening. Several visiting lodges will be present.

AMONG THE RAILROADS.

HAILROAD FOR KALIDA.

Kalida has long been in need of a failroad to develop it into a thriving village. The surrounding vicinity produces more grain than any other locality in Putoam county. The citby having railroads promised them but never built, that they have determined to construct one for themselves They contemplate constructing a branch from their village to Crosswell, or Dormington station, two miles distant on the F., Ft. W.

& W. road. Gen. manager Bissell, of the F. Ft. W. & W. R. R. beber from there will pay to construct Doan's Kidney Pilis, judging from find appropriate words to express my and operate the branch. The right what they have done for me, and I good feeling. I have found do not bester to the propriate words to express my of way will either parallel the C , L. M. grade to Dormlington or the genuine remedy for kidney troubles." public highway from Kalida to Oros-

BELIEVES COLE IS INNOCENT.

Matthias Cole, of Harper, brother of Shelby Cole, charged with the murder of C. & E. brakeman Nelson Schagel at Galien, was in the city Wednesday, says the Bellefontaine Examiner.

He says Shelby arrived in Harper on a freight at 3 o'clock on the day of the murder, just two hours after it was committed, and he has evidence to prove that it would have been impossible for him to have been in Galion at the time Mr. Schagel was killed. Mr. Cole furthermore found at the scene of the murder. and said to belong to Shelby, was not his coat, and that his family will all swear that the man has not owned consolidate all of the railway brotherfamily.

LIMA NORTHERN TO DETROIT. The Lima Northern has closed a O. M. R. R. R.

O. M. R. R. R.

OCA:—Going East, daily ex. sunday 7.00 a m 3750 pm old roadbed, and will require very ocal—" West, " 700 am old roadbed, and will require very old roadbed, and will require very of the sunday of contract with the Wabash for an endition. When it is complete, by 11 33 am using the C., J. & M. to Britton, the using the C., J. & M. to Britton, the Lima Northern can reach Detroit, in the yards of the two companies at according to its contract, over the Wabash. Further, it is thought now t-Dailyer Sundaysmam that the Lima Northern will use the possibilities is a new Detroit line by the way of the C. J & M. and Wabash Important developments are expect

MAKING A FUEL TEST,

ed soon.

The Wabash is making a very interesting experiment in its motive nower department. It is a comparative fuel test between a compound location of the regular motive and the ordinary type which basemen are expected to be a little with the colored porters on their fast trains—Nos. 8 and 15. The regular brakemen are expected to be a little more given than ordinary. years The compound engine 2,427 which is turnished by the Brooklyn locomotive works, and the other locomotive, 429, has just come out of the Fort Wayne shops Both engines are to run the same distance and pull an equal amount of toursee. A careful record of the amount of fuel used is being kept, and upon the result depends the style of engines to be used apon the Wabash in the future.

CHANGES ON THE C. & E.

Operator J. A. Jones, of the C. & E . formerly at Uniondale, Ind , has heen assigned to the day trick at S J. tower here This change reduces operator Phillips, of S. J. tower, to the night trick and operator Dempster, who has had the night trick heretofore will succeed operator Ira Stayner at one of the small stations

B & HOVER PROMOTED.

agent of the Chicago & Erie in Huntington. He takes the place made vacant by the promotion of W. S.

Mr. Hovor was for several years agent for the company at Hammond, from which he was transferred to Huntington.

IN OPPOSITION TO DEES.

A dispatch from Columbus says "There is a movement now on in

A. R. WEBB TALKS. CATARRY OF THE STOMACH.

Ex-Contractor A. R. Webb Has Something to Say

ABOUT A MATTER OF LOCAL INTO LEST

Three years ago he took a horse in hapren not to know that gentleman gases, causing pressure on the heart, you can easily ascertain who he is, and you are not obliged to go out of town for the information. "Honesty is the best policy." That old adage has alwars been a characteristic."

There is often a foul teste in the has always been a characteristic of the article indorsed by the subject of mouth, coated tongue and if the in-The Van Wert Commandery Will made for it but in the testimony published in its behalf. These are the secrets of its success. When you sticate trouble is found in a treatlean back in the easy chair in the and peruse the columns of your favoring in the Temple. Eminent Com- ite daily there is little interest at it has time to ferment and irritate mand of the Ivannoe Commandery, of tached to an account of some citizen an Wert, will be present and assist of New Orleans who has been using a remedy which effected a cure, but when the citizen is known, when he sary thing to do and when normal dican be seen on the street or in his place of business, the testimony not disting will have disappeard. only is interesting but carries with it conviction, and that powerful, indescribable influence that sweeps away every vestige of incredulity. Reader, ponder over the testimony that follows. If you have anything wrong with your kidneys, and do not act as suffer, and depend upon it you will: ing a patent medicine can be used the testifier acted, you deserve to and the longer you nirt with lini- with perfect safety and assurance ments and plasters and useless medi- that healthy appetite and thorough cines the longer will that suffering after meals. go on. Mr. Webb went to W. M. Melville's drug store at No. 147 Main street for Doso's Kidney Pills, got them, took them, and this is what he zens have so often been disappointed has to say about them: You can put me down as having been benefitted by using Doan's Kidney Pills. I am confident that they have helped me very much, both in lessening the pain and removing the urinary difficulty to a great extent. I have had so far but one box and I am commencing on my second, feeling that they are in a fair way to give me a permanent do not hesitate to pronounce them a

> Donn's Kidney Pills are sold for 50 cents per box or 6 boxes for \$2.50. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States. Sent by mail on receipt of price. For sale by all druggists.

> railway labor circles, with the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen as the chief force, for the affiliation of all raliway labor organizations with the American Federation of Labor and the substitution of the boycott as a weapon for the strike."

There are no secrets about this said that the overcoat which was ally an effort on the part of railroad health, and at 4:30 a. m. the next men who do not like the policy of morning he died very suddenly of heart trouble. The deceased was born in Pickaway county, Ohio, Nov. an overcoat for years. Shelby Cole's hoods The brotherhood men repreinnecence is firmly believed in by his sent the conservative and older class of railway employes, and if they can be consolidated it would form a powerful organization. The Order of Ballway Conductors is included in the Hunting, of Elida Lutheran Church.

die will put in interchange switches

Objo shows an excellent record in the line of railway accidents for 1896. 25 694,639 passengers were transported and only four persons were killed.

The Illinois legislators have a bill before them to limit railread mileage to two cents a mile. It is being vigorously fought by all the rallroads

of that state. The Fort Wayne has dispersed tor of the Elida Lutheran Church.

more civil than ordinary. The C., H. & D. and Monon rail-

Ind . where they will join the Wallace chaus.

It is officially stated that the net earnings of the Pennsylvania for February were the largest for that month since 1893, and the gross carnings were also the best in four years. It is said that the exhibit of March will be even more favorable,

The crew of linemen who accompanied trainmaster Klein over this division of the C. & E Friday after the heavy snow storm found over Is G. Hover is the newly appointed three hundred telegraph poles down between Huntington and Marion. By noon Saturday all wires were again in good working order over this

A Tiger for \$50.00.

Not a wild beast, but a dandy ladies' and gents' "Tiger" Bicycle for that money. Made near Lima. Decidedly up to date and fully war-H. PARHAM, ranted. 130 east High street. m ti

But Safe and Effectual Cure for It.

Catarrh of the stomach has long been considered the next thing to incurable. The usual symptoms are a

evening with your feet on the fender ment which causes the food to be readily, thoroughly digested before the delicate mucous surfaces of the stomach. To secure a prempt and healthy digestion is the one necesgestion is secured the catarrhal con-

According to Dr. Barlanson the safest and best treatment is to use after each meal a tablet, composed of Diastase, Aseptic Pepsin, a little Nux, Golden Seal and fruit acids. These tablets can now be found at all drug stores under the name of Stu-cours mrough application of stock-art's Dyspensia Tablets, and not be-holders Louis I. Rosier and John S. digestion will follow their regular use

Mr. N. J. Booher, of 2710 Dearborn St., Chicago, Ill., writes: "Catarrh is a local condition resulting from a neglected cold in the head, whereby the lining membrane of the nose becomes inflamed and the poisonous discharge therefrom passing into the backward throat reaches the stomach, thus producing catarrh of the stomach. Medical authorities prescribed for me for three years for catarrh of stomach without cure, but to-day I am the happiest of men after using only one box of Stupetite and sound rest from their use.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets is the safest preparation as well as the simplest and most convenient remedy his share only on condition that his for any form of indigestion, catarrh of stomach, biliousness, sour stomach, heartburn and bloating after meals.

Send for little book, mailed free, Lest will be entered upon. on stemach troubles, by addressing Stuart Co., Marshall, Mich. The tablets can be found at all drug stores

In Loving Rememberance.

Mr. Jeremiah Mowery, husband of movement. It was inaugurated in his residence in Allen county, Ohio, Pittsburg over a year ago. It is re- at about 8:30 p. m, enjoying good lating her property born in Pickaway county, Ohio, Nov. 8th, 1827, and died April 1st, 1897, he leaves a widow and nine children to mourn their loss. The funeral services were held at Ash Grove

Church Sunday, April 4th, at 10:30 a. m. and were conducted by Rev.

A precious father and husband from us is

A once loved voice is stilled.
A place is vacant in our home
Which never can be filled.

God, in his great wisdom, hath recalled The boon his love bath given. And though the body neuders here, The soul is sate in Heaven.

Dear hisband and father, thou hast left us Here thy loss we deeply frei. It was God who hath bereft us. He can all our sorrow keal.

We bid farewell to thee dear busband and father.
His ransomed soul to the Lord has ascended.
In Heaven's bright home beyond the sky
We will meet you, dear husband and father,
bye and bye

We also desire to return our sincere thanks to the friends and neighbors who assisted us during the sickness and after the death of our father and beloved husband: also to the pas-

MOTHER AND CHILDREN.

In a letter to the manufacturers
Messrs Davis & Buzard of West Monterey, Pa, say: "Chamberlain's Cough
Remedy has cured people whom our closes, \$2 0004 10, buils, stags and physicians could do nothing for West Monterey, Pa, say: "West Monterey, Pa, say: "Chamberlain's Cough at 20 traders, \$4 0004 10, buils, stags and physicians could do nothing for West Monterey, Pa, Section 175 last freight between Cincinnati and Chicago by way of Indianapolis. The run will be made in fifteen hours.

A car load of elephants passed through here on west bound O. & E. freight train No. 77 Saturday. The big fellows were enroute to Peru, Ind., where they will intribe Wolley.

When You Want a Cab Oall up The Oak, or new 'phone 42.

We will answer promptly. HULL BROS

The Ladies' Auxiliary Of Y. M. O A. will meet in the parlors of Y. M. C A. building Tuesday

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MRS S. W. VANCLEVE, Pres. MRS R. W. MEHLY, Sec'y.

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Try Dr. Cady's Condition Powders, they are just what a horse needs when in bad condi-tion. Tonic, blood purifier and vermifuge.

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on'y lactors to a sermentative mencontest with a painst African time, but a race war in which a majority of the whites at the cape and all the Boers will be against us."

Scusational Charges Mada.

St Louis April 12 -The William 3 Oir Shoe company was brought into Bilkens for a receiver. The attorneys allege mismanagement and misappropriation of the company's funds. They ash that President Orr be made to return \$40,000 for the 400 shares of stock he subscribed for and return \$2,800 Salary increase.

Want a Receiver Appointed,

Belleville, Ills , April 12 -- Suits wer commenced by Charles W. Carroll and John Ellapermann, Jr., against the Lansburg Brake company for the appointment of a receiver for the corporation and an injunction to restrain the company from disposing of its property. The company has a capital Stock of \$2,000,000. The plaintiffs claim to own 1 691 shares. They allege fraud,

She Would Not Die.

Coveland, April 12 - When Mis Margaret Ryan died in 1892 she divided her estate, valued at \$130,000, between her two sons, William J. and Thomas S. William, however, was to receive wife should die in five years. The time is nearly up and the wife shows no signs of an early dissolution. A con-

Left Her Hu-band One Cent.

Wilkesbarre, Pa , April 12 -The will of Mrs. Anna Miller bequeathed her husband, John Miller, 1 cent, to be paid five years after ber decease. The bal-Sarah A. Mowery, retired to bed at her will that her husband lived for him-

mouth. O, who was married at her Eastern resorts at very low rates. home to Joseph Virgile Herard in 1887.

haz brought suit to set her husband's overfare for the round trip to all points.

H. J. McGuire, Ticket Agent. divorce aside. He is a millionaire and h s wife wants \$200 000 alimony.

MARKET REPORTS

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five years after her decease. The balance of her large estate was left to Mary Morrell. Deceased sets forth in her will that her husband lived for himself and did not assist her in accumulating her property.

Serious Result of a John.

Richmond. Va.. April 12.—Curtis Chambetlavine, guard at the penitentiary, was warned by a waggish fellowguard that if he allowed a prisoner to escape he would be placed in the dungeon on bread and water, flogged with a cat-o'-nine-tails and then fired out of a cannon. This made him a raving mania.

An Ohio Woman in Court.

Perry O T April 12.—Mrs Margaret Pauline Herard, nee Martin, of Portsmouth, O, who was married at her house to loseph Virgile Herard in 1887.

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ten dollars I lent you three months ago. CASTORIA. 1

might regard in the same light the



An Early Case.

"Mr. Bickers, you are unnecessarily severe in your criticisms of our sex," declared Miss Kittish, after one of his characteristic tirades. "Facts will not support your statements."

"I beg your pardon, Miss Kittish," replied he, "but you will yourself recall that the first woman who ever lived raised Cain."-N. Y Journal.

CASTORIA. hart Hetchers orappor The C., H. & D. Ry.

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DEMOCRATIC COUNTY CONVEN-TION.

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TUESDAY, APRIL IS, 1897,

at ten o'clock a. m., for the purpose of piacing in somination candidates for the following county offices, to be elected next November: Representative, Sheriff, Treasurer, Commissioner, Infirmary Director, Coroner and Surveyor.

The basis of representation in the some convention will be one delegated to the some convention.

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The basis of representation in the county convention will be one delegate for every twenty five votes or fraction over thirteen cast for W. J. Bryan at the November election in 1885, and the apportionment will be as tollows:

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Total number of delegates in con-

The basis of representation in the Senatoral Convention will be one delegate for each cone hundred votes and fracton over fifty cast for William J. Bryan last November. Under this apportionment the representation of Allen county in these conventions will be as follows:

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place, shall also be selected one person from sechward and precinct in Allen county to servess a member of the Democratic County Advisory Committee.
Only those voters who cast their ballot frewilliam J. Bryan, for President, at the election in November, 1926, and who will support the Democratic tickes nominated on April 13th, shall be eligible to participate in the election of deligates at the various township and ward caucuses. All young Democrats, not voters, but who will attain majority prior to the next November election and who will support the Democratic ticket at that election, are eligible to yote in the various primary caucuses.

A delegation from any ward, precinct or township not elected in the manner prescribed in this call will not be recognized in the convention, but voters from such township, ward or precinct present in the convention as mass delegation will be permitted to cast the vote of salf township, ward or precinct
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REPRESENTATIVE.

You are authorized to announce my name as a candidate for the office of Representative, subject to the decision of the Allen County Democratic convention.

G. W. DISMAN.

We are authorized to aunounce the name of GHAS. H. ADKINS as a candidate for County Representative, subject to the decis-ion of the Democratic County Convention. Please announce the name of JOHN W MANGES, of Richland township, as a candidate for County Representative, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Con-

wention.
We are authorized to announce the name of H H. ROUSH, of Bath township, as a can didate for Representative, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of S. B. FRIEDMAN, of Lima, as a candidate for representative from Allen county, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

COUNTY TREASURER

We are authorized to amounce the name of AUGUST G. LUTZ as a candidate for renomination for second term for County Treasurer of Allen county, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of J A. STATKS, of Monroe township, as a candidate for Sheriff of Allen county, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of W. R. GRUBB, Fourth ward, Lima, as a andidate for Sheriff, subject to the decision of the Allen County Democratic Convention. We are authorized to announce the name of T. W. MILLER, of Sugar Creek township, as a candidate for Sheriff of Allen county, Ohio, subject to the decision of the Democratic convention.

COUNTY SURVEYOR.

J. O. CHONLEY will be a candidate for the commandom for County Surveyor on the Democratic ticket, second term, subject to the lecision of the county convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of JOHN ZEITH as candidate for County Surveyor, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

We are authorized to announce the name of DANIEL HARPSTKE, of Monroe township, as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democratic county convention.

We are authorized to announce to name of GEORGE D. KANAWL, of Ottawa township, as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of PETER LORA, of Monroe township, as a candidate for Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Conven-

Hon.

Gover, O., Feb. 13, '97.

To the Editor of the Times-Democrat.

You are authorized to announce my name as a candidate for the office of County Commissioner, subject to the approval of the Democratic County Convention.

EVAS R JONES,
Sugar Creek To

We are authorized to announce the name of DR R G BUETON, of Lime, as candidate for Coroner of Allen county, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Conven-

INTERNACT DIRECTOR.

convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of kOBERT KIKACOFK, of Jackson township, as a candidate for Infirmary Director, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of I. B STEMEN, of Sugar Oreek township, as candidate for infirmary Director, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention. We are authorized to announce the name of GEORGE A HEFFNER, of Lima, as a candidate for Infirmary Director, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

LAID TO REST.

Late Mrs. John Dimond.

The funeral services of Mrs. John Dimond were held this morning at most beautiful and touching funeral orations ever heard in St. Rose church. The pastor paid a most and exemplary life which the dehusband and twelve children, who worth as a noble wife and mother. The public is cordially invited always. The floral offerings were magnificent and beautiful, and during the celebration of mass the fragrant flowers

the church the large funeral cortege tor. slowly wended its way to Gethseman! where the body of this noble wife and mother was laid to rest. The following friends of the family acted as pallbearers: George Feltz, Thomas Duffield, Henry Kemper, D. F. O'Connor, Joseph Bletzacher and T. A. Collins. Among the large number of sorrowing relatives who attended brothers of the deceased, from New Lexington, Ohio: Will Dimond and John McGahan, of Huntington, Ind., cousins of the bereaved husband, and also his uncle, Judge P. A. McGahan, of Toledo.

SHAWNER COMMANDERY

Knights Templar Will Attend Easter Services at Epworth Church.

The Knights Templar of Shawnee Commandery No. 14, R. C., will attend Easter services at Epworth M. E. Church, on east Market street, next Sunday morning, the services to begin at 10 o'clock.

The knights are drilling and will go to the church in full uniform.

TALES OF THE TOWN.

Circuit court will open to morrow morning.

Miner W. Sevick and Hester Ann Long have been granted a marriage

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Mowen, of north West street, died this morning.

Born, this morning, to Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Commerson, of Solar avenue, a 10-pound son.

The Industrial Society will meet on Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. A. E. Clutter, 133 north Baxter

Mrs. A. C. Reichelderfer, of 758 west Market street, will entertain the East End Pedro Club to-morrow

Miss Julia Kirk will entertain the Sweet Clover Club to morrow evening at her home on west Wayne street.

that was found on the street this morning.

Patrolman John Lilly reported for work Saturday night, after having been laid up for several days with a

severe attack of the grip. Theodore Durrant, of San Francisco, the murderer of Blanch Lamont, is sentenced to hang at San

Scentm prison June 11, next. The Lima Tea Co.'s store was closed this forenoon on account of the funeral of Mrs. John Dimond, her son,

Albert, being an employe of that The funeral services of Mrs. Mary

Douglass, the aged lady who died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Chas. Spring, in the Carnes block, were held yesterday.

The annual business meeting of the Lima Art League will be held at the residence of Mrs. John Thomas this evening. All those desirous of continuing in the work next year are earnestly requested to be present.

The funeral services of Anna Marie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Mulcahy, were held from St. Rose church yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Rev J. B Mooney officiated. Interment was made in Gethaemani

A clever swindler, who is undoubt-edly the George H. Hunter, of many aliases, who successfully perpetrated a swindle at the offices of the South Side Building and Loan Association in this city about a year ago, was captured at Jamestown, N. Y. Erl-

All those who can sing and read music readily are invited to meet in the Y. M. C. A. hall at 7:30 o'clock this evening to practice two anthems to be sung during the Allen County We are authorized to announce the name of L REHOHELDERFER, of Ottawa township, as a candidate for infirmary Director, in Lima April 19th and 20th. A large chorus is needed.

> Messrs. Ruff and Finfrock a few days ago delivered to the Children's Home fifty sugar and maple shade trees to decorate the grounds. The trees were donated by those gentlemen and the only expense the Home people had in the matter was in set ting the trees in the ground.

> > CASTORIA.

THE MUNICIPAL QUESTION.

The Last Sad Rites in Honor of the Hon H. S. Prophet Will Lecture To-Morrow Night Before the Philosophical Bociety.

The Philosophical Society will de-St. Bose church, at 9 o'clock. The vote to morrow evening to a discuspastor, Rev. A. E. Manning, celesion of the municipal question. The brated Requiem High Mass and read subject will be presented in the main the barial service, at the conclusion by Hon. H. S. Prophet, who has given of which, he delivered one of the the many problems involved careful consideration.

Municipal government is among the leading questions of the day. It fitting tribute to the noble character is one in which every member of the community is directly interested, esceased had led. He referred to her pecially at this time, when large expenditures for public improvements are a credit to the community, and are under consideration. The paper which is the best evidence of ber will be open to general discussion.

Frank Morris

were placed upon the altar of the Has opened a fine line of new styles Blessed Virgin as an offering to Her. of wall paper in room No. 9, Holmes At the conclusion of the services at block, second floor. Take the eleva-

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Saves Doctor's Bills. Families in the country should always of sorrowing relatives who attended keep Brazilian Balm on hand. It is the were Joseph and Andrew Ward, two brothers of the deceased, from New Lexington, Ohio: Will Dimond and John McGaban, of Huntington, Ind., consing of the harmond brothers. kinds of fevers it acts like magic, and saves many a doctor's bill and many a

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A dispatch to the Cincinnati E_R quirer from Cleveland contains the many handsome presents. following statements concerning Senator Brice

United States Senator Calvin S Brice will not be a candidate for remanager of Brice's campaign six dure it, he persuaded her to try years ago. Therefore, it is authorion that ive, and as a result, an entirely effect was magical. The first application relieved the pain, and its content and the persuaded her to try characteristics. new aspect is placed on the Demotinued use has removed all stiffness

"No, sir," exclaimed Mr. Farley and given her the free use of her limb once more if you have friends who are troubled with rheumatism in the control of the not be a candidate for re-election. He is absolutely retired You can state that as coming from me, and as being authoritative. Mr Brice is in no political ambitions and no desires except to recover his health."

During the recent mayoralty campaign it was charged time and again that Mr Farley was in the race sim send a Democratic legislative delega- 17th, 1897, at 7.30 o'clock? p m. tion to Columbus next winter, and Speakers Daniel Daniels, of Lima, thus re elect Mr Brice to the Senate

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GOLDEN WEDDING

Anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Stevens Celebrated

Mr. and Mrs Jacob Stevens, of 1007 east North street, celebrated the nitieth anniversary of their weding, in an unexpected manner, Saturday A surprise party was prepared for, and, although they knew of the surprise, they thought it was intended for their son, Elias. When informed that the party was given in honor of their golden wedding anniversary, their surprise was complete. The affair was a delightful one,

and Mr. and Mrs. Stevens received

Mrs Samuel Stamm, of Loganton, CLEVELAND, OHIO, April 11 -Ex- | Pa , bore her thirty-four years of suffering with courage and fortitude. Her trouble was rheumatism in the election at the coming session of the legislature. This statement was made by John H. Farley, the defeatment candidate for mayor on the Democratic ticket, and the acknowledged or painful that she could hardly endered the could hardly endered to the parameter of the parameter of

insist on their giving this remedy a trial You can do them no greater favor, as it is sure to give prompt relief, and if they are a little patient it will effect a cure. For sale at 25 Jamaica for his health, and has been there for some little time. He has the discrete per bottle by Melville, the druggest old poets for some little time. the druggist, old postoffice corner; C W Heister, 58 public square

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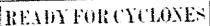
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RESIDENTS OF THE STORM BELT BUILD HOUSES THAT DERY THE GALE.

The Approach of the Season of Tempests Autrespated by Texaus How a Stormhouse Is Consider tod- A Whole School Can Ride in the Earth.

The min-try of sportaneuse building is now in full blast in Texas, and the great prevalence of cyclones in many other parts of the country during recent years has awakened a widespread interest in this branch of architecture.

Ever since the 15th of last May, when a tornado swept across a portion of the entskirts of Sherman, Tex., and destroyed 85 human lives, the stermbouse maker has found a steady demand for his services in that town, but within the past few weeks this demand has quickened into a boom of large proper-

To begin with, there is Professor A. Q. Nush, who claims to have the largest and best equipped stermhouse in Texas and perhaps in the world. Who knows: Professor Nash is in charge of one of the four female colleges of this place. He has a good chance to be somewhat of an authority on cyclones, for his school building is within 100 yards of the track of the storm of last May, and he was an eyewitness of that disturbance throughout its whole passage.

The stormhouse in question has been built for the purpose of accommodating the whole school if necessary. It is 50 feet long, 7 feet wide and 6 feet deep in the clear and has an easy seating capacity of 200. There is a long seat running lengthwise along each wall, street ear fashion, with room for quite a large number of chairs in between. It is heated by steam pipes and lighted by electricity. The rafters of the roof are of today. Our patent office has over 10,000 heavy bois d'arc timbers, ceiled with oak planks. The walls and floor are also of oak. The floor is made a little lower in one corner than elsewhere, so that any moisture which may seep in will collect here. An arrangement is made for spraying it out with steam. The whole structure is under the gymmasium building, from which it may be entered without exposure to the weather by going out of doors. Professor Nash is careful to explain that he built the stormhouse not so much as a means of protection against storms as for a means upon animals of different sizes working of allaying the excitement and nervous in the same harness. In China the plow ness of his pupils. He feels more or less competent to hold his own against any- consecrated in the temples of the gods. thing no worse than a ternade, but when it comes to getting along with 100 or so badly scared schoolgirls he feels compelled to draw the line. The expense of the stormhouse ran well up into the hundreds of dollars.

The question of moisture is the most serious one that confronts the stormblack waxy soil of Texas. Brick and world for seeps. Sometimes even the this town has an elaborate cement room as yet, but he is quoted as saying that he never knows what moment it may hegin to do so. The average stormhouse builder doesn't try to keep the water out. He contents himself with arranging to remove it as rapidly as possible. The favorite way to accomplish this is to have a barrel sunk in the ground at the lowest corner of the room. As this fills with water it can be dipped out. Sometimes a pump is put in to accomplish this the more readily.

For \$25 you can have a good stormhouse made, 8 feet long, 6 feet wide and 6 feet deep, neatly finished with plank floor and walls, properly roofed and covered. This will answer every purpose— until the first time it rains. The next morning after this happens you will probably find about six inches of water on the floor However, for 25 cents you can hire an ablebodied man to dip it out for you, and by repeating this process about twice a week during the wet season you can enjoy all the advantages of having a stormhouse and still not be afraid of your children being drowned in it if they should happen to fall in. -St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

All Navies Have Their Troubles. Those who have been overimpressed by the series of accidents which have occurred in Uncle Sam's navy should read The Hampshire Telegraph, an English newspaper which makes a specialty of naval notes and news. On one page of a single recent issue the following startling and self explanatory-headlines occur: "On a Dangerous Course. ed. Two Artificers and a Stoker Scalded."—Philadelphia Press.

You have made my life miserable, stace you took my wife's part. I am a "henpecked" husband. She has taken all the advantages she not spoken to her since she had me arrested, and she is making threats at me all the time. I will see you personally. Obediently yours, JEREMIAN KERRIGAS.

Mugistrate Simms said that he had : faint recollection of the case and that he would be pleased to meet Mr. Kerrigan to see what he was complaining about .- New York Herald.

How Bibles Are Used in Persis. In the 93 years since its establishment the British and Foreign Bilde society has distributed 147,366,669 Bibles, Testaments and books of extracts from the Scriptures. It has been recently found out that in Persia these publications are utilized by the natives in the manufacture of papier mache atticles.



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Plowing was undoubtedly first done with a forked stick, the long arm being harnessed, in some primitive way, to an of or term of oxen, and the short arm pointed for the purpose of penetrating the ground. The plow is one of the oldest of agricultural implements, and it is a curious fact that in oriental countries the same kind of plow is used now as was described by the writers of 2,000 years ago. The plow represented on the Egyptian monuments of 3000 B. C. may be seen in the valley of the Nile models of plows. In Egypt, Syria and India there is but one, and that the one which has been in use for thousands of years. The plow described by Virgil, 31 B. C., is in use in many country districts of Italy today. In 1618 patents were taken out by David Ramsay and Thomas Wildgoese for "engines to plow grounds, whether inland or upland," In the Scriptures plowing with differ-ent kinds of animals hitched together was forbidden on account of the eruelty involved by the unequal draft imposed apon animals of different sizes working is a sacred implement, and models are As early as 1849 steam plows were patented in the United States.

Writing Lenders For the London Times. I dired with Mr. Walter and his son in Printing House square at 5 o'clock and found that I was expected to write an article there and then on one of the house builder of limited means in the subjects of the day. I protested my inability, not supposing myself capable of cement cost considerable and are not doing such a thing in less than a week always effective. The Texas soil in the This was pool-pooled. I tried, found it black belt is said to be the worst in the possible and found also that I was expected to repeat the process next day, most expensive devices fail to keep the same hour, same dinner, shert conversawater out. One prominent citizen of tion after dinner, then the subject was announced, and I was left alone till rea which cost him \$500. It has not leaked time, when Mr. Walter appeared, read aloud what I had done, with criticisms and, after correction, carried off the paper to the printer. When the article was Snished, the same process was repeated, and when I was disburdened of the whole article I went home to bed. Gradnally it appeared that I was expected (exceptis excipiendis) to do this every evening - Letters of Frederick Lord Blackford.

> blood, strengthens the system and so necessary to delicate surgical operagives good health.

> > To Be Congratulated.

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Compassionate Stranger (interrupt-

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The Artiflears and a Stoker Scald. H. M. S. Blake. Seaman Fatally Grushed. Two Artificers and a Stoker Scalded."—Philadelphia Press.

Court Accused of Collusion.

Magistrate Simms, in the Essex Market police court, recently received the following letter:

You have make my life miserable since you work my wife's part. I am a "homograph" to relieve his terrible cough, gave him a bottle of Brazilian Balm. Seeing its wonderful effect, the doctor advised its continued use. Mr. James soon after dismissed his doctor, and depended on the Balm alone. His recovery was rapid and complete, and in February he returned to work. His lungs are sound, returned to work. His lungs are sound, and his weight greater than at any time in his life. His recovery is regarded as



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A GREAT RIVER.

Marco Polo's Report Concerning the filgantic Yang-tee-Riang.

Noah Brooks quotes the following from the great Venetian traveler in his series of St. Nicholas papers, "The True Stery of Marco Polo:

And I assure you this river flows so far and traverses so many countries and cities that in good sooth there pass and repass on its waters a great number of vessels and more wealth, and pierchandisc than all the rivers and all the seas of Christendom put together. It scenis indeed more like a sea than river. Messer Marco Polo said that he once beheld at that city 15,000 vessels at one time. And you may judge if this city of no great size has such a number, how many must there be ultogether, considering that on the banks of this river there are more than 16 provinces and more than 200 great cities, besides towns and villages, all possessing vessels.

Messer Marco Polo uforesaid tells us that he heard from the officer employed to collect the great khan's duties on this river that there passed up stream 200, 000 vessels in the year, without counting these that passed down! Indeed, as it has a course of such great length and receives so many other navigable rivers, it is no wonder that the merchandise which is beene on it is of vast amount and value. And the arricle in largest quantity of all is salt, which is carried by this river and its branches to all the cities on their banks and thence to the other cities in the interior.

The vessels which ply on this river are decked. They have but one must, but they are of great burthen, for I can assure you they carry, reckoning by our weight, from 4,000 to 12,000 cantars each. In going up stream they have to be hauled, for the current is so strong that they could not make head in any other manner. Now the towline, which is some 300 paces in length, is made of nothing but came. 'Tis in this way They have those great canes of which I told you before that they are some 15 paces in length. These they take and split from end to end into many slender strips, and then they twist these strips together so as to make a rope of any length they please. And the ropes so made are stronger than if they were made of hemp.

Electric Eyes.

The larest adjunct that science gives to the surgical operator is an electric eye. Strictly speaking, it is not an eye at all, but rather a sort of searchlight, which is used to aid the human eye in delicate surgical operations.

Oftentimes surgeons are handicapped in their work by the fact that they cannot see distinctly the parts upon which they must operate. The formation of the human body is such that in many instances no light can be put directly upon the particular part of the human anatomy that is to be operated upon. The eye can see to the extent of human capability, but in intricate operations, however strong the light in the operat-Seventy million people know ing theater may be, the rays lack that Hood's Sarsaparilla purifies the penetration and power of concentration tions.

Professor Charles E. Quimby, of Bellevue hospital, New York, has patcuted this new aid to surgery. From an ordinary electric light wire a connection is made with this device, which fits the face much in the manner of a pair of spectacles. The appliance in itself consign of two small incandescent lamps, which are fitted one above and the other below the eye of the operator. They are go adjusted that the rays focus at a point sufficiently near the ordinary point of vision to throw all the power of the electric rays upon the point desired.

It is practically a pertable searchlight adapted to the operating theater. The lamps are in the form of an annular glass globe, with an illuminating conductor. An insulated backing, consisting of a metal leather lined band, which passes around the head, prevents the heat from affecting the wearer, and at the same time holds the light in position and prevents any possible effect that otherwise the electricity might have upon the wearer. The lights more nearly resemble long glass tubes than anything else. Within these tubes are placed the lamps, which can be adjusted to any desired angle. When a direct downward ray is desired, a small reflector is fixed above the light and the rays thrown in the desired direction.—San Francisco Examiner.

Saved a Licking.

The butcher's boy who had called to deliver a parcel had thoughtlessly left the garden gate open, and the 7-year-old ruler of the house called after him: 'Rere! Come back and shuithat gate!'

The butcher's boy stopped, but show of no inclination to obey the command. 'I don't have to?" he shouted defiautly.
"Yes, you do," insisted the 7-year "You come right back and shut it now, or somebody's going to get the worst licking he ever had."

The butcher's boy came running back fall of fight.

"He is, ch?" he said. "Well, who's

going to lick 'im, ch?"
"Mother is," calluly remarked the
youngster. "If you leave that gate open, I'll be certain to go out into the street. Mother'll see me, and I'll ger licked. Shut it fight, please, so I can't get out." And the butcher's boy did -Chicago Times Herald.

"Job's Birthday

—the date be cursed!" So a tiredout and exasperated woman speaks of Monday-wash-day. And so, probably, would every woman who celebrates it so often in the old-fashioned, wearing way. Though why they do it, when there's a better way that can't be found fault with, is a

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It has been easy to form an Impresion that the military operations of the Cuban insurgents are nothing but aim lessly brave guerrilla warfare, lacking system and any tactical merit whatever. Stories of hand to hand conflicts with machetes make more inspiring tales than these of investment and siego But the more scientific element has entered as well, and an instance of it which has recently come to light ought to prove interesting.

General Comez himself has quite as good a military education as that of his opponents, gained in the same schools and the same service with them. Genoral Maceo was a brave man, but the proof of it in battle was no better than he gave in serving as a West Point hostler so that he might alsorb by contact and observation a knowledge of military technic that he hoped to use against Spain for the Cubans. General Calixte Garcia is another commander who has demonstrated his military training and his leavery at the same

The formal orders of General Garcia for the attack on Guaimare, in the province of Puerto Principe, are here presented. They were issued in duplicate and were accompanied by an excellent military map showing the plan of operations:

ATTACK ON GUAIMARO-INSTRUCTIONS General A. Cebr-co will occupy the intrench ment "Cuba," situated at the extreme right. Brigadier Vega will occupy intrenchmen

Major del Depunto will occupy the "Came don-rat Capete will attack from Fort Gon-

Brigadier Estrada with oer apy the Tunes in retenment, colonel Castro will cortry the Bayamo m-

Brigadica Marriero will occupy the Heigun pirenchinent. Each calamander will leave ready for the as-

suit the forces of volunteers in the trenches and Le rendy to support those ordered to ad-Two sharpshooters will be detailed in each

introduce no to keep up a constant fire on the tower of the church every time there is a head shown. It will be optional with the commainlers whether or not the other soldiers waiting in the tremelies shall concentrate their fire on the church.

It any commander notes that may of the defensive fortifications are alemdoned by the enemy, he will occupy it at once and use it as a point of vantage for another strack. This operation will be with a destructive enemy, accustomed to guerrilla warrait. They will burn what they cannot hold, unless it is occu-

pled as soon as abandoned.

Wire fences must be cut sarly tonight, as the mosn will not rise until 9 o'clock. Commanders up at keep in communication with one another and with the commander in the A. and report the progress of the attack in

the best in inner possible. Supplementary verbal instructions will be ent to each commander if necessary.
The commander in chief hopes from the

ruler and intelligence of his troops the less result which their patriotism can accomplish, CALLXFO GARCUS, Misjor General.

Ferr Genfan was taken by the infantry of General Capote, and in the later operations was used as a favorable point from which he assisted the other troops in the general assault. Around the town, connecting the chain or Spanish form, were a fence of barted wire and forms, were a fence of barted wire and other constraints of a huge size about the streets. These rats are supposed to the streets of much favored as Spansish defenses. The general direction of the attack was northward. The troops from the Holgum trenches, under content an unbert of all drains about the entry. In which they becen and sally out at high to attack peaceful pedesfrom the Holgum trenches, under content an unbert of didrains about the entry. In which they becen and sally out at high to attack peaceful pedesfrom the Holgum trenches, under content morning Conductor.

Early on a recent morning Conductor was connected to the forces converged to Fort Gonfan, the same destination.

Early on a recent morning Conductor was coming down the railroad track gardening has grown rapidly of late forces converged to Fort Gonfan, the same destination.

The map as it was crimially drawn or's leg. The latter drew his revolver effort at raising flowers.

The map as it was originally drawn showed the location of each Cuban inth nelment and the direction of their attack, with the topography of the town. It indicated the name and locaion of each Spanish fort on the line of lay in wait for him in front of his bouse, barbed wine trocha. It showed the on Meody street. Dr. Stiles macked up a hospital, the Spanish headquarters, the barrel stave in self defense and but the fortified church, the country roads and last with it as the latter rushed at him, the streets within the city and the prin- but it broke short off in his hand, and cipal buildings.

The map and orders have interest and value as evidence that the insurgent leaders are men who think over the plans of their battles and do not depend in every instance on the recklessness of the rander or the craft of the Indian to wm. Many of them show brilliam military genius. If they could secure sufficient aims and ammunition to equip their forces, the result would be reach- ϵd even sooner than r now the prospect. -Trumbull White in Chicago Record.

A Novel Chess Match.

Mr. J. Henmler Heaton, Conservative member of the house of commons for Canterbury, is trying to arrange at international chess match, to be played by cablegiams, between the house of commons and the American congress. with seven members on cach side.

Mr. Heaton is best known in England as the advocate of immoved postal arrangements. He is often familiarly described as the "member for postal reform.

Reciprocity Among barmers.

A number of neithern Indiana countics have perfected organizations whereby it is agreed not to purchase farming implements this year. A system of exchange has been agreed upon. The leaders in the movement disclaim the establishment of a boycott on manufacturers or dealers and state that the organizations are the outgrowth of business and financial depression.

Not So Slow,

Philadelphia widows have introduced the fashion of draping their bicycles in monrning, which fully expresses the bereavement they have endured, the grief they suffer and the respect due the dear departed without the sacrifice of my necessary exercise awheel. -Louis-

CHASED BY WOLVES.

A Seared Young Man Delegate Houself Bravely With His Yours.

While on his way to Craig and when clout for miles from town John W lawell, Jr., of Crarg, Colo., had an unpleasant experience with three gray

Mr. Lowell noticed the walves in the ustanes, but pand no attention to them until after he had traveled about a mile, when his horse became uneasy, Looking back, Mr. Lowell beheld a right which, as he says, caused his hat to raise not a triffe-three large gray welves about 200 yards distant were thanging after him at a speed which would seen bring them upon him.

There was not a moment to spare, and the young man haddly knew what to do. He was unarmed, and the snow was so deep that it was impossible for his horse to run from the ferocious beasts with any degree of specess.

He quickly decided that he had but one chance, and that was to attempt to bluff. Whiching his horse around, facing the wolves, he applied the quirt, and at every jump of his steed he let forth a yell that would have put any Communication to shame. For a moment the bluff seemed a failure, for the wolves continued to approach, and the distance between the horseman and the shaggy creatures lessened to about 50 yards before the turn in affairs occurred.

Finally, after a few more plunges in the snew by the horse and numerous yells from the thoroughly frightened young man, the wolves suddenly turned and ran in an opposite direction.-Craig (Colo.) Courier.

BIG SOAP BUBBLES.

A Gas Pipe and an Oil Pipe Formed Dame Nature's Outfit.

About half a mile above Franklin, Pa., up the Erie railroad track, is to be seen one of the most curious sights in this country. Approaching a small, singgish stream one is surprised to see rising from the surface of the water a number of Lubbles, which glisten in the sun like glass.

It is a heautiful sight. The nidescent spheres, revolving swiftly after the manner of soap bubbles, floated rapidly upward, some breaking at a height of 10 or 20 feet others searing away above the tree tops and out of sight, resembling more than anything clse gorgeous toy balloons.

A gas line and an oil line pass under the run at this point, within a few mehes of each other, and in each pipe is a small leak. The digging and refilling of the trenches made a dain which held a few barrels of stagnant water. There was some alkali in the muddy bottom, which, in combination with the vil, formed saponule.

This, while not being a perfect scap. was sufficiently sapenaceous and coherive to make beautiful bubbles when churned by the e-caping gas. The fact that the bubbles are full of gas causes them to ascend mere swiftly, and the presence of the oil makes them more brilliant, many colored and unusually beautiful.—Oil City Blizzard.

MARAUDING MUSKRATS.

A Tonn Terrorized by the Strangely Savage Beasts.

Residents of Waltham, Mass., are in terior of their lives because of the prevalence of muskrats of a huge size about

or's leg. The latter drew his revolver and fired two shots into the rat before it was killed.

A few nights later Dr. Fred M. Stilles had a death struggle with a rat which the animal sprang at him again and again until it was finally stunned by a lucky blow. It was as large as a grown cat and had teeth two inches long.

But the nerviest attack was made uplon Patrolman Gammon. A rat jumped on him and climbed up his legs, biting him all the while. The policeman drew his club and after a hard sirngglo succeeded in beating off the animal -Cor Chicago Times-Herald.

PEOPLE OF PROMINENCE.

Coul Rhodes is giving sittings to John Twied, a scalptor of London, for the statue which is to be erected by popular subscription at Bulawayo.

Lady Henry Sumerset has sent \$120 and 17 bexes of clothing and blankets for the Armenians to the American conal at Erzerum, Leo Bergmann.

The Emperer Francis Joseph has made the past Marns lokal a bie member of the Hungarian house of President McKinley has already dis-

tinguished himself I v shaking the hands

of 1,395 callers at the White House in

31 minutes. Friends of Francis Murphy claim that he closed his recent two months temperance campaign in Boston with a record of 13,000 total abstinence pledges

Princess Marie ven Hohenlohe, wife of the imperial chancellor, has performal the notable feat of killing a bear while lumting on her estate, in Russia. The princess is 68 years old

The department of New Hampshire will present the name of John C. Laneaan for the office of communider in clitcf of the Grand Army of the Republic at the next grand encampment to be held in Buffalo the last week in August.

THESHOTWENTHOME

A GAMELET, REFORMED UNDER PALE SURE (F A PULPIT APPEAL

His Victim Had Saved Money For a West used Mather The Cambier West to Church and toute Beed to the Partie.

A present appeal made from a pulps recently by Key, Dr. W. G. Starr ef-Redimend resulted in a well known gamble " expressing to a widow in Washrad mort now 090,1\$ lo mus after agui for at saids, and the assurance from the sport to the well known divine that he will never throw another card.

The sensation that Dr. Starr's remarks o casioned has been intensifed by the medent. Dr. star was passing down Bread street ene evening, when a gentleman, calling his attention to two men standing on the opposite side of the street, said: "Do you see those two men on the other side of the street there? The middle aged man is a gambler. The young man at his side was his victim recently in Washington city. In a game they were playing for stakes the gambler won from that young man \$1. 000-every cent he had in the world and he had it laid aside to help his mother buy a house. She is a widow, and he is her only child."

Near the close of his sermon delivered on the following evening Dr. Stars stated this occurrence and startled his audience by asserting that he saw in the congregation before him that gambler and his victim. "I will not call him a highway robber," continued the speak-"I will not call him a highway rober. ber. No; he shall hear only kind words from me now, and yet I will speak the

"That thousand dollars he has in his possession as the result of that game does not belong to him. He did not make the money honestly. There is just one thing for him to do, and that is to give it back. It did not belong to that voung man after he had laid it aside for his mother. The gift was in the motive. That son must carry out the intent. Let the money go to the one to whom it morally belongs."

To his amazement Dr. Starr was ac costed on the street the next morning by the gambler, who hastily said be was not after a difficulty, but that he had been unable to sleep, and had shipped the money to the widow. Then, with choked utterance, the gambler added, "I have determined by the help of God never to throw mother eard as long as I live."

The dector replied, "I am glad to know it, and let me say to you that if your changed life makes bread scarce with you for a time you can sir down at my table as long as I have a crust to share with any one."

The two then shook hands cordially and parted.-Washington Post.

TIME FOR FLOWERS.

The Season For Outdoor Gardening Is at Hand. The time for flowers is almost here.

The roses are shooting out, and wher ever this is the case they ought to be trimmed. It is a little too early yet to turn up the dirt in the garden, but those who intend to engage in the cultivation of flowers-a most delightful

effort at rusing flowers. People have discovered that it is such an easy thing to do. Very little space feet square, or even less, will grow a Valparaise. 724 530 number of pretty flowers. Or, if so small Chicago. 8 900 800 4 space compact to the less of some a space cannot be laid, any old box or basket can be utilized. Filled with dirt and planted with the right sort of seed, it will soon be transformed into a thing of beauty, if not a joy forever, -Balti- Warsaw more American,

Little Girls and Curls.

Lattle girls nie to wear their hair in curls again—in fascinating curls, such as grandmothers wore at side checks in the thirties. The hair may be divided upon the top of the head or at one side. in either case the lengths should be senmated into, say, a dezen parts and enried precisely, not waved. The cuiling tong is an instrument of destruction which a careful mother will not allow, heated, to touch a child's hair. There is no barm in forming curls on a round length of wood with brush and water. But naturally straight hair will not yield to such kindness of method. For n there are, aside from the harmful tongs, only kid curlets. These come in large and small sizes. The large ones are the best for long bair. - Chicago Trabune.

Why Poes Re Scream.

A strange includy has serred Harry Rosebrough, aged 12 years. He lives at Hantington, Ind., and suders interesty meessant pains in one foat. His agony is so great that his almost continual screams are heard for a square. There is no swelling. Physicians have performed an operation and cut deep into the foot, but found nothing denoting a diseased condition. The doctors say they do not understand the case, and that the frouble is a new one.

A Prehistorie Jan.

Parts of the skeleten of a prehistoric animal were found on the farm of Nex under Graham of Laberty township, Ind., the fragments indicating that the ancmal's jaw was probably four feet long. A part of the jaw is in good condition, as are some of the teeth, which are about a foot long, but most of the bones were so far decomposed when uncovered that they emmbled.

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ABOUT PEOPLE.

Who They Are, Where They Have date, Dr. E. G. Burton, of Lima, and Been, and Are Going.

Gid. Sifers, of Sidney, is in the

Capt. F. M. Bell was in Kenton Saturday night.

Frank Miller spent Sunday with

friends in the city. Geo. W. Burket, of Findlay, is

guest at the Cambridge House. Will Bell came home from Marysville Saturday and spent Sunday

Mrs. Owen Kane, of south Tanner street, is visiting friends in St.

County recorder Harrod has re turned from a pleasant trip to Muncie and Hartford City, Ind.

Mosler Safe and Lock Co., is in the spring shades city, the guest of his son-in-law, J. W. McMahon.

Sam Weinfeld, received a telegram from Appleton. Wis., yesterday, announcing the death of his brother, Ernest Weinfeld, who was in this city two years ago with his bride on a wedding tour. Mr. Weinfeld left for Appleton last night.

COURT FOUSE NEWS.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS,

Isaac Hichstettler and wife to Calvin Hauenstein: 51 acres in Rich-

and township. \$362.
David H. Suliivan and wife to Elizabeth Brown: part of lots 21 and 23, Delphos. \$2,500.

Aaron Fisher, sheriff, to Isaac B. Post; 79 acres in Marion township.

Monroe Davidson and wife et al. to John Davison: 50 acres in Augistze township. \$2,000.

Ernest E. McElwain to A. Shindbery. 29 acres in Bath township.

IN MUSIC HALL

vention will be Held.

ALL WORTHY CANDIDATES THE WORD'S OIL PRODUCT

Seek Position on the Ticket-Perry Township Sends a Mass Delegation - Several Spirited

Contests

To-morrow morning at ten o'clock the big Democratic County Conven- lished in the Toledo Blade says: tion will be called together in Music will be elected next November. There will be 256 votes in the contownships as follows: Amanda tp., from Danville, Ill., to
Lima, O.
For this reason we shall
make a

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from Danville, Ill., to
10; Augiaize tp., east pre., 5; Augiaize tp., west pre., 4; Bath tp., 8;
German tp., 7; Elida special, 4; Jackson tp., 11; Marion tp., 14; Delphos, rist ward, 8; Delphos, Second ward, 8; Monroe tp., 10; Lima, First ward, pre. A, 10; Lima, First ward, pre. B, 12: Lima, Second ward, 8; Lima, Third, pre. A, 8; Lima, Third, pre. A, 8; Lima, Third, pre. A, 8; Lima, Third, ward. Deeper Cut Than Ever Third, pre. A, 8; Lims, Third ward, pre. B, 5; Lims, Fourth ward, pre. A, 8; Lims, Fourth ward, pre. A, p 5; Lima, Fourth ward, pre. B., 11; with the affairs of the company and Lima, Fourth ward, pre. C, S; Lima, the future of the stock." Fifth ward, 11; Lima, Sixth ward, pre. A, 5: Lima, Sixth ward, pre. B, 3; Lima, seventh ward, pre. A, 10; Lima, Seventh ward, pre. B. 5: Perry tp., 9: Richland tp., Beaver Dam pre., 8; Bichland tp., Bluffton pre. 18; Shawace tp., 8; Spencer township, 19; Sugar Creek tp., 4.

The basis of apportionment was one delegate for every 25 or fraction over 13 votes cast for W. J. Bryan last fall. It will require 129 votes to nominate. All the townships, wards and precincts in the county have selected delegates except Perry township, which will come to the conven-

tion as a mass delegation. The candidates for the various positions are:

For representative there are five aspirants: George W. Dieman, Charles H. Adkins, and S. B. Friedman, of Lima; John W. Manges, of Richland township, and H. H. Roush, of Bath township.

For county treasurer August G.

any part of a bicycle duplicated or of Monroe township: Jacob L. Shook, of Auglaize township, and T. W.

Miller, of Sugar Creek township. For county surveyor there are but two contestants, John C. Cronley, of the brown three-year-old was two contestants, John C. Cromier, C. Lims, and John Keith, of Spencer-Lims, and John Keith, of Spencer-Ed Baker for \$81, and Election, the ville. Unless there should be a tie last of the thirteen, was sold to

nomination. For county commissioner there are four candidates: Daulel Harpster and Alex Oarson was also sold to William Peter Lora, of Monroe township; Geo. D. Kanawl, of Ottawa township, and

Evan R. Jones, of Sugar Creek town-For coroner there is but one candi-

he will receive the nomination without opposition.

For infirmary director there are and George A. Heiner, of Lims; Robert Kiracofe, of Jackson township; I. B. Stemen, of Sugar Oreek township, will be strung.

The work of removing the old the work of the wor

ship. The convention promises to be an interesting one, in which will be and the construction of the new barn several closely-contested nominations: but of one thing the people can rest assured-the character of the candidates is such that whoever is nominated will make Alien county very competent officials.

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BIG OIL DEAL

The Democratic County Con-Rumored to Have Been Consummated.

ard, the Cudabys and the Nobel Bros.' Three-Cornered Consideration.

A dispatch from New York, pub-

"It is reported that a gigantic con-Hall for the purpose of placing in solidation of the oil interests of the nomination a county ticket to be world has been practically brought elected next fall. This will be the about by the Standard oil people. most important convention held in After prolonged negotiations with Allen county since the primary sys- the Russian magnates, Nobel Bros., tem was abolished a few years ago who control the Black Sea output of and the delegate convention adopted oil, the Standard Oil Company, it is as a substitute for it. The positions said, induced the Russians to become to be filled are: Representative, a factor in a three-cornered plan to county treasurer, sheriff, county com- divide the world's supply. The missioner, surveyor, coroner, and in Standard Oil Company and Oudahy firmary director, and a roster of can. Bros., of the West, who are the didates will be presented composed of Standard Oll Company's greatest the names of men who are all so cap- rivals, completed the membership in able that no mistake can be made in the proposed triangular deal. Nobel the selection. Whoever is nominated Brothers consented to "come in" if Brothers consented to "come in" if Cudahy Bros.' could be induced to join in. With this understanding vention apportioned to the various the Standard Oil Company made overtures to their Western rival, with the result still in doubt.

It has always been supposed that over 90 per cent. of the stock of the Standard Oil Company was held by the inside interests of the company. During the past several days, however, considerable stock has been offered in blocks of from 10 to 25 shares each. The offering is accompanied by all sorts of rumors in connection

[Continued on First Page.]

THE HORSE SALE.

Thirteen High Steppers Sell for the Small Sum of \$1.283.

To satisfy a lien against H. H. Hollister, thirteen well bred horses from the Linneman stock farm were sold at auction by J. C. Linneman at Botkins & Stolzenbach's livery barn Saturday afternoon, and most of the local admirers of fine horse flesh were in attendance. Auctioneer Evans, of Maysville, was the crier, and the animals were sold as follows:

Jennie Lewis to D. J. Cable, for Two hay fillies were purchased by

J. W. Griffin, one for \$50, while \$12 were paid for the second.

D. J. Cable bid in a chestnut filly Aaroness was purchased by Hugh

Ward for \$76. Molly Wilkes sold to the Nickel Plate Stock Farm for \$95.

John Kerr secured a yearling bay and a two-year-old bay filly for \$61 and \$95 respectively.

A fine two-year-old bay was pur-

chased by sheriff Fisher for \$211. P. Canovan secured a bay filly for

Gail B., a handsome animal, was

Harry Kerr for \$69. A two-year-old pacer owned by Lichty for \$100.

COMMENCING WORK

On the Extension of the Street Railway Lines.

A gang of men commenced work on west Kibby street this morning, five candidates -- L. Reichelderfer making excavations for the poles from which the trolley wire for the Kibby, Metcalf and Vine streets extension

> buildings at the car barns on south Main street is progressing rapidly will soon be started.

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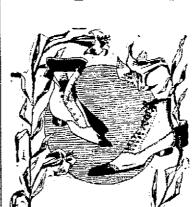
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